



U.S. Department of Justice

Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C. 20535

August 12, 2016

MR. JOHN GREENEWALD JR.
[REDACTED]

FOIPA Request No.: 1355070-000
Subject: ANDERSON, WENDELL RICHARD

Dear Mr. Greenwald:

This is in response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request.

Records which may have been responsive to your request were destroyed [on 04/02/2012]. Since this material could not be reviewed, it is not known if it was responsive to your request. Record retention and disposal is carried out under supervision of the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA), Title 44, United States Code, Section 3301 and Title 36, Code of Federal Regulations, Chapter 12, Sub-chapter B, Part 1228. The FBI Records Retention Plan and Disposition Schedules have been approved by the United States District Court for the District of Columbia and are monitored by NARA.

Additionally, a search of the Central Records System, to include any Electronic Surveillance (ELSUR) records maintained at FBI Headquarters indicated that potentially responsive records have been sent to NARA. If you wish to review these potentially responsive records, send your request to NARA at the following address using file number 94-HQ-65773 as a reference:

National Archives and Records Administration
8601 Adelphi Road
College Park, MD 20740-6001

By standard FBI practice and pursuant to FOIA exemption (b)(7)(E) and Privacy Act exemption (j)(2) [5 U.S.C. §§ 552/552a (b)(7)(E), (j)(2)], this response neither confirms nor denies the existence of your subject's name on any watch lists.

For your information, Congress excluded three discrete categories of law enforcement and national security records from the requirements of the FOIA. See 5 U.S.C. § 552(c) (2006 & Supp. IV (2010)). This response is limited to those records that are subject to the requirements of the FOIA. This is a standard notification that is given to all our requesters and should not be taken as an indication that excluded records do, or do not, exist.

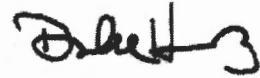
For questions regarding our determinations, visit the www.fbi.gov/foia website under "Contact Us." The FOIPA Request Number listed above has been assigned to your request. Please use this number in all correspondence concerning your request. Your patience is appreciated.

You may file an appeal by writing to the Director, Office of Information Policy (OIP), United States Department of Justice, Suite 11050, 1425 New York Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20530-0001, or you may submit an appeal through OIP's FOIAonline portal by creating an account on the following web site: <https://foiaonline.regulations.gov/foia/action/public/home>. Your appeal must be postmarked or electronically transmitted within ninety (90) days from the date of this letter in order to be considered timely. If you submit your appeal by mail, both the letter and the envelope should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal." Please cite the FOIPA Request Number assigned to your request so that it may be easily identified.

You may seek dispute resolution services by contacting the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) at 877-684-6448, or by emailing ogis@nara.gov. Alternatively, you may contact the FBI's FOIA Public Liaison by emailing foipaquestions@ic.fbi.gov. If you submit your dispute resolution correspondence by email, the subject heading should clearly state "Dispute Resolution Services." Please also cite the FOIPA Request Number assigned to your request so that it may be easily identified.

Enclosed for your information is a copy of the FBI Fact Sheet and Explanation of Exemptions.

Sincerely,



David M. Hardy
Section Chief,
Record/Information
Dissemination Section
Records Management Division

Enclosure(s)



FBI FACT SHEET

- **The primary functions of the FBI are national security and law enforcement.**
- **The FBI does not keep a file on every citizen of the United States.**
- **The FBI was not established until 1908 and we have very few records prior to the 1920s.**
- **FBI files generally contain reports** of FBI investigations of a wide range of matters, including counterterrorism, counter-intelligence, cyber crime, public corruption, civil rights, organized crime, white collar crime, major thefts, violent crime, and applicants.
- **The FBI does not issue clearances or non-clearances for anyone other than its own personnel or persons having access to FBI facilities.** Background investigations for security clearances are conducted by many different Government agencies. Persons who received a clearance while in the military or employed with some other government agency should contact that entity. Most government agencies have websites which are accessible on the internet which have their contact information.
- **An identity history summary check or “rap sheet” is NOT the same as an “FBI file.”** It is a listing of information taken from fingerprint cards and related documents submitted to the FBI in connection with arrests, federal employment, naturalization or military service. The subject of a “rap sheet” may obtain a copy by submitting a written request to FBI CJIS Division – Summary Request, 1000 Custer Hollow Road, Clarksburg, WV 26306. Along with a specific written request, the individual must submit a new full set of his/her fingerprints in order to locate the record, establish positive identification, and ensure that an individual’s records are not disseminated to an unauthorized person. The fingerprint submission must include the subject’s name, date and place of birth. There is a required fee of \$18 for this service, which must be submitted by money order or certified check made payable to the Treasury of the United States. A credit card payment option is also available. Forms for this option and additional directions may be obtained by accessing the FBI Web site at www.fbi.gov/about-us/cjis/identity-history-summary-checks.
- **The National Name Check Program (NNCP)** conducts a search of the FBI’s Universal Index (UNI) to identify any information contained in FBI records that may be associated with an individual and provides the results of that search to a requesting federal, state or local agency. Names are searched in a multitude of combinations and phonetic spellings to ensure all records are located. The NNCP also searches for both “main” and “cross reference” files. A main file is an entry that carries the name corresponding to the subject of a file, while a cross reference is merely a mention of an individual contained in a file. The results from a search of this magnitude can result in several “hits” and “idents” on an individual. In each instance where UNI has identified a name variation or reference, information must be reviewed to determine if it is applicable to the individual in question.
- **The Record/Information Dissemination Section (RIDS)** searches for records and provides copies of FBI files responsive to Freedom of Information or Privacy Act (FOIPA) requests for information. RIDS provides responsive documents to requesters seeking “reasonably described information.” For a FOIPA search, the subject’s name, event, activity, or business is searched to determine whether there is an associated investigative file. This is called a “main file search” and differs from the **NNCP** search.

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www.fbi.gov**

EXPLANATION OF EXEMPTIONS

SUBSECTIONS OF TITLE 5, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 552

- (b)(1) (A) specifically authorized under criteria established by an Executive order to be kept secret in the interest of national defense or foreign policy and (B) are in fact properly classified to such Executive order;
- (b)(2) related solely to the internal personnel rules and practices of an agency;
- (b)(3) specifically exempted from disclosure by statute (other than section 552b of this title), provided that such statute(A) requires that the matters be withheld from the public in such a manner as to leave no discretion on issue, or (B) establishes particular criteria for withholding or refers to particular types of matters to be withheld;
- (b)(4) trade secrets and commercial or financial information obtained from a person and privileged or confidential;
- (b)(5) inter-agency or intra-agency memorandums or letters which would not be available by law to a party other than an agency in litigation with the agency;
- (b)(6) personnel and medical files and similar files the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy;
- (b)(7) records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, but only to the extent that the production of such law enforcement records or information (A) could reasonably be expected to interfere with enforcement proceedings, (B) would deprive a person of a right to a fair trial or an impartial adjudication, (C) could reasonably be expected to constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, (D) could reasonably be expected to disclose the identity of confidential source, including a State, local, or foreign agency or authority or any private institution which furnished information on a confidential basis, and, in the case of record or information compiled by a criminal law enforcement authority in the course of a criminal investigation, or by an agency conducting a lawful national security intelligence investigation, information furnished by a confidential source, (E) would disclose techniques and procedures for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions, or would disclose guidelines for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions if such disclosure could reasonably be expected to risk circumvention of the law, or (F) could reasonably be expected to endanger the life or physical safety of any individual;
- (b)(8) contained in or related to examination, operating, or condition reports prepared by, on behalf of, or for the use of an agency responsible for the regulation or supervision of financial institutions; or
- (b)(9) geological and geophysical information and data, including maps, concerning wells.

SUBSECTIONS OF TITLE 5, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 552a

- (d)(5) information compiled in reasonable anticipation of a civil action proceeding;
- (j)(2) material reporting investigative efforts pertaining to the enforcement of criminal law including efforts to prevent, control, or reduce crime or apprehend criminals;
- (k)(1) information which is currently and properly classified pursuant to an Executive order in the interest of the national defense or foreign policy, for example, information involving intelligence sources or methods;
- (k)(2) investigatory material compiled for law enforcement purposes, other than criminal, which did not result in loss of a right, benefit or privilege under Federal programs, or which would identify a source who furnished information pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence;
- (k)(3) material maintained in connection with providing protective services to the President of the United States or any other individual pursuant to the authority of Title 18, United States Code, Section 3056;
- (k)(4) required by statute to be maintained and used solely as statistical records;
- (k)(5) investigatory material compiled solely for the purpose of determining suitability, eligibility, or qualifications for Federal civilian employment or for access to classified information, the disclosure of which would reveal the identity of the person who furnished information pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence;
- (k)(6) testing or examination material used to determine individual qualifications for appointment or promotion in Federal Government service the release of which would compromise the testing or examination process;
- (k)(7) material used to determine potential for promotion in the armed services, the disclosure of which would reveal the identity of the person who furnished the material pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence.

Dear Mr. Greenewald,

I am writing in response to your Freedom of Information Act request for records in the custody of the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA). Your request was received in this office on September 6, 2016 and assigned FOIA case number 51024.

You requested access to FBI case file 94-HQ-65773, identified by the FBI as potentially responsive to your request for records relating to Wendell Richard Anderson. My initial assessment confirms that Mr. Anderson is the subject of this case file.

As the file contained a small number of documents, I have completed a line-by-line review of the file and attached a complimentary copy to this correspondence. There were no redactions applied to this file.

I completed a search of all relevant indices of records in NARA custody and could find no other records responsive to your subject.

Please contact me directly at noah.shankin@nara.gov or at (301) 837-0774 if you have any further questions regarding FOIA case number 51024.

This concludes the processing of your request.

If you are not satisfied with our action on this request, you have the right to file an administrative appeal within ninety (90) calendar days from the date of this letter. Appeals must be in writing and may be delivered by regular U.S. mail or by e-mail. By filing an appeal, you preserve your rights under the FOIA and give the deciding agency a chance to review your request and reconsider its decision. If you submit your appeal by regular mail, it should be addressed to the Deputy Archivist of the United States (ND), National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road, Room 4200, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001. Both the letter and envelope should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal." If you submit your appeal by e-mail, please send it to foia@nara.gov, addressed to the Deputy Archivist, with the words "FOIA Appeal" in the subject line. Please be certain to explain why you believe this response does not meet the requirements of the FOIA. All communications concerning this request should reference your case tracking number 51024.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Bishop ✓
FROM : M. A. Jones ✓
SUBJECT: WENDALL R. ANDERSON
GOVERNOR-ELECT (D - MINN.)

DATE: 11/4/70

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BACKGROUND:

On 11/3/70, Democrat Wendall R. Anderson of St. Paul, won the gubernatorial election replacing Governor Harold E. Le Vander (R), who did not seek re-election. Anderson, aged 37, is a State Senator, and a lawyer. He is a former Olympic hockey player (1955) and directed Hubert H. Humphrey's presidential campaign in Minnesota in 1968.

INFORMATION IN BUFILES:

A check of Bureau indices reflects no references to Anderson.

The Minneapolis Office advises that Anderson is a "law and order" man and is very friendly to that Office.

RECOMMENDATION:

None. For information.

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To : Acting Director, FBI (62-109276)

From ~~R. B. C.~~ SAC, Minneapolis (62-3231) *WENDELL R. ANDERSON*

Subject: EDWARD KIENAST
RONALD VOLLMER
THREAT AGAINST MINNESOTA GOVERNOR WENDELL ANDERSON
~~THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT~~
~~PROTECTION OF~~

Enclosed for the Bureau are four copies of an LHM regarding captioned subject. Two copies of FD-376 are attached.

A copy of the LHM is being disseminated to the St. Paul Police Department, Minnesota Bureau of Criminal Apprehension, St. Paul; Office of the Governor, State of Minnesota, St. Paul; and Secret Service, Minneapolis.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Minneapolis, Minnesota
December 11, 1972

EDWARD KIENAST
RONALD VOLLMER

At 4:26 P.M., December 10, 1972, Dorothy Botts, Nursing Supervisor, Anoka State Hospital, Anoka, Minnesota, advised the Minneapolis Office of the FBI that Edward Kienast had phoned her and stated he had two shotguns with scopes on them which he intended to use on the Governor because it was the Governor's fault people are being held in the Anoka Hospital. Kienast is on provisional discharge from the Anoka State Hospital and is in the company of Ronald Vollmer, who is AWOL from the same hospital.

Botts was able to establish that Kienast was calling from the number 612-871-0834.

Ronald X Vollmer is described as follows: height, 6 feet 4 inches; date of birth, May 14, 1927; weight 200 pounds; eyes, brown; hair, brown with some grey; 2-inch scar on left wrist; wears dark-rimmed glasses.

Edward X Kienast is described as follows: date of birth, March 9, 1928; height, 5 feet, 7½ inches; weight, 150 pounds; hair, brown; eyes, blue; complexion, fair; scar on left arm, appendectomy scar, hernia-removal scar; deformity of nose (flat); wears dark glasses.

The following agencies, who were advised on December 10, 1972, are receiving copies of this communication: St. Paul Police Department, St. Paul, Minnesota; Minnesota Bureau of Criminal Apprehension, St. Paul; Office of the Governor of Minnesota, St. Paul; and Secret Service, Minneapolis.

Agent James Lucy, Secret Service, advised that Kienast had been of investigative interest to Secret Service previously.

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In the event additional information of value is developed, your agency will be advised.

MINNESOTA

KIENAST SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND DANGEROUS
ON THE BASIS OF HIS MENTAL INSTABILITY AND INFORMATION FROM
SECRET SERVICE THAT HE HAS CARRIED A LOADED GUN IN THE PAST.

This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is loaned to your agency; it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency or duplicated within your agency.

March 2, 1977

Honorable Wendell R. Anderson
United States Senate
Washington, D. C. 20510

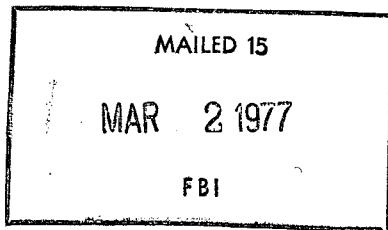
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

Dear Senator Anderson:

ANDERSON, WENDELL R *Con*

Enclosed are two advance copies of the March, 1977, issue of the FBI Law Enforcement Bulletin. I thought you might like to see the splendid article, beginning on page 12, entitled "Crime Prevention Funds - The Silent Majority Can Fight Crime" by Mr. Warren C. Hyde, City Manager, Edina, Minnesota, and Mr. Wayne W. Bennett, Chief of Police, Boulder City, Nevada. Their report on this subject, I am sure, will be of great interest and assistance to police officers throughout the country.

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Sincerely yours,

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Honorable Wendell R. Anderson
United States Senate
Washington, D. C. 20510

Dear Senator Anderson:

The June, 1977, issue of the FBI Law Enforcement Bulletin contains an article, beginning on page 6, by Lieutenant John Sturner, Police Department, St. Paul, Minnesota, entitled "Personnel Selection and Promotion Processes: Some Considerations." I thought you might be interested in seeing this excellent article. Enclosed are two advance copies for your information.

As a cooperative service to local, state, and other Federal law enforcement agencies, the Bulletin publishes selected articles from police officials and other authorities of the criminal justice system on professional methods and techniques. The magazine is distributed to sworn law enforcement officers, without charge, and it strives to raise the standards of our profession by bringing an informative variety of pertinent material to their attention.

Sincerely yours,

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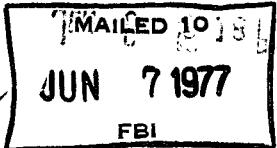
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October 6, 1978

Honorable Wendell R. Anderson
United States Senate
Washington, D. C. 20510

Dear Senator Anderson:

The October, 1978, issue of the FBI Law Enforcement Bulletin contains an article beginning on page 16, entitled "Perspective Grid Photography," by Colonel James C. Crawford, Chief, Minnesota State Patrol, St. Paul, Minnesota.

I thought you might be interested in seeing this excellent article. Enclosed are two advance copies for your information.

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As future articles of interest authored by your constituents are published, they will be furnished to you.

Sincerely yours,

William H. Webster

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